

JARRETTSVILLE/NORRISVILLE COMMUNITY ADVISORY BOARD

October 15, 2015

Norrisville Library Meeting Room

Members Present:

William Pullen, Chairperson

Nancy Reynolds

Jackie Smithson

Guests:

Capt Jack Meckley, Harford Co Sherrieff's Office

Mike Mason, Community and Government Relations

John Sullivan, Office of Economic Development

Sue Sapp, Council President Slutzky

Guest Presentation:

- John Sullivan- Office of Economic Development, presented on the work of the Harford County Office of Economic Development. He described nine services the office provides to residents of Harford County. Services are focused on developing small businesses and helping them expand. The Harford Transit division of the Economic Development Office ensures County residents have a affordable means of transportation to get to work. Mr. Sullivan highlighted several businesses in our area who either have recently or are planning expansion and or new projects.
- Captain Jack Meckley-Harford County Sherrieff's Office, Northern Precinct reviewed the crime report. Calls for service up 41% from last year. Alarm calls are the number one call. Capt Meckley also spoke about overall crime for the area. There have been 129 heroin overdoses County wide for 2015 so far and 22 heroin fatalities. Captain Meckley announced that North Harford Middle School will be hosting a heroin informative seminar this fall.
- Mike Mason- Community and Government Relations, Showcased the new County website that was launched October 14, 2015, www.harfordcountymd.gov The website is designed to be more user friendly and has new features such as on-line bill pay. Mr. Mason asked for input on how best to reach our community to invite participation in Community Council meetings. He suggested everyone on Facebook should follow the pages, "Support Harford Farms" and "Harford County Government" for County related information and updates. The new Jarrettsville warning siren will be installed by BGE behind the Jarrettsville Volunteer Fire House very soon and the Norrisville siren is currently being quoted for work.

Future Guest:

Jarrettsville/Norrisville (JN) Community Advisory Board 2015 - 2016 Schedule		
Date	Presentation	Location
9/17/2015	Parks and Recreation - Jimmy Malone/Paul Magness	Jarrettsville Library
10/15/2015	Economic Development - Karen Holt/Steve Overbay	Norrisville Library
11/19/2015	Office of Mediation - Susan Fisher	Jarrettsville Library
12/17/2015		Norrisville Library
1/21/2016	SHA - Dave Peake/John Vananzo	Jarrettsville Library
2/18/2016	Ag Preservation - Bill Amoss	Norrisville Library
3/17/2016	Office on Aging - Karen Winkowski	Jarrettsville Library
4/21/2016	ICT - Ted Pibil	Norrisville Library
5/19/2016		Jarrettsville Library
6/16/2016		Norrisville Library

Adjournment: William Pullen made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:00 pm.

Next Meeting: November 19, 2015 at 6:30pm at the Jarrettsville Library

Respectfully submitted, Jackie Smithson